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- 1) A Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 having 14 pages; and
- 2) A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a duplicate copy thereof.